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In re application of: Mitsuaki OSHIMA et al.

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For: OPTICAL DISK FOR HIGH RESOLUTION AND GENERAL VIDEO  
RECORDING, OPTICAL DISK REPRODUCTION APPARATUS,  
OPTICAL DISK RECORDING APPARATUS, AND REPRODUCTION  
CONTROL INFORMATION GENERATION APPARATUS

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Sir:

Favorable consideration of the above-identified application is respectfully  
requested in view of the following comments.